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THE TREASURY,

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# THE BRITISH COLUMBIAN.

No. 5, Vol. 4.

NEW WESTMINSTER, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 2, 1864.

Price 6d. or 12 cts.

This Journal is published every Wednesday and Saturday morning, and despatched by Mail and Express to all parts of these Colonies, Washington Territory, Oregon, California, the Eastern Provinces and Great Britain.

The utmost care is taken to procure authentic information from all the mining districts of British Columbia, and every exertion made to obtain reliable statistics respecting the country generally.

## The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, WEDNESDAY, MAR. 2, 1864.

### THE BOUNTY SYSTEM.

The readers of the BRITISH COLUMBIAN are aware that we have long advocated the granting of a Government bounty for the discovery of a certain class of quartz veins or other gold deposits in this Colony, as well as legislation for the encouragement of ship-building, milling and other manufactures. The motion introduced in the Legislative Council by Hon. J. Orr last week is deserving of more than cursory notice. The following is the resolution:

"That, in order to encourage exploration and a more thorough development of the resources of this Colony, His Excellency be requested to offer the following rewards, and include the amount in a supplementary estimate, viz: £500 for the first vein of quartz successfully worked by machinery in this Colony, and producing either gold or silver. £500 for the first 200 tons of good coal produced in the Colony and shipped to any foreign port. £500 for the first vessel built in the Colony of not less than 500 tons burthen. £500 for the first piece of machinery manufactured in a Foundry in the Colony from the native iron ore. £500 for any new alluvial mining district sufficiently extensive to give remunerative labor to not less than 500 men for six months. That the above be published in the public journals of both Colonies."

The above resolution was supplemented on a subsequent day by Hon. J. A. R. Homer, who moved the following: "That His Excellency the Governor be recommended to grant a premium of £250 for the erection of the first grist mill in the Colony capable of grinding 50 bushels of corn per day." These resolutions do not of course become law by passing the Council, but merely go before His Excellency the Governor in the form of recommendations for a Bill, and it remains with His Excellency either to accept or decline the suggestions of the Legislative Council.

To say that these resolutions afford us great satisfaction is to express but half we feel upon the subject. Owing to the want of capital and the great expense of explorations &c., the wealth of British Columbia has been permitted to lie dormant, and much the same cause has operated against making a beginning in manufactures, many of which this Colony is admirably adapted for. We alluded not long ago to the fact that there is a company organized in London with £50,000 capital, and which could easily be doubled did circumstances seem to demand it, anxiously waiting for the assurance of the existence of a quartz lode of such a character as would justify extended operations, and a notice was inserted in this journal by the local representative of the company asking for information upon the subject. Such an inducement as the premium suggested above would tend to stimulate search for quartz, and once discovered, of sufficient richness and extent, there will be no lack of British capital to develop it.

The question of coal is scarcely of less importance to our commerce at the present juncture. It has come to this, that the enormous supplies which we draw from other countries must reach us in a more direct and less expensive way than they have hitherto done. In order to have ships come direct here it is important that we should be prepared to furnish them with return cargoes. Timber we have in quality unsurpassed in the world and in quantity almost inexhaustible. But it would be well to have a choice of cargo, and a very good cargo is coal. Fortunately for New Westminster the banks of the Fraser abound with coal within little more than an hour's run of this city, and most eligibly situated for shipping. It would, perhaps, savor too much of speculation to assert that these coal beds are of a superior quality, as they have not as yet been submitted to a thorough test. We have it, however, from good authority that so far as can be judged the coal is of a superior quality to anything yet discovered on this coast. Here, again, a premium of £500 will act as a stimulant for the working of these coal beds; and once successfully opened it is not difficult to see that this branch of industry must exercise a most powerful influence upon the commerce of the Colony. Just now ships coming to Victoria with goods have to ballast with stone, at great expense, in order to get round to Nanaimo for a return cargo of coal. If we can furnish vessels coming here with such cargoes on the spot this circumstance alone would give New Westminster an immense advantage over Victoria.

For ship building this place possesses many natural advantages over Victoria. Extending a mile and a half below the city we have a shore line peculiarly adapted for ship yards, and on the spot are two steam saw mills with an abundant supply of the very best wood for ship building purposes. Why, then, with such advantages, have all our steamers been built in another Colony? Why have we not rather built for export? The answer is easily given—has many times been given in these columns. The tariff has been framed with a view to drive our trade in this, as in other branches, to Victoria. But let the duty be removed from machinery and such other ship building materials as would require to be imported, and we shall soon have a row of ship yards in full blast which will not only meet home demand, but supply our neighbors. The premium of £500 will tend to hasten that much-to-be-wished-for consummation.

The manufacture of machinery out of native ore must, of course, be looked upon as a little farther off, as it is contingent upon the opening up and working of iron mines, of which we believe this Colony possesses a great abundance. With extensive coal beds and ores of various kinds it is not unreasonable to expect that this branch of manufacture will also flourish in British Columbia.

Upon the great facilities for grist mills here, and the advantage which would accrue to the Colony from manufacturing our own flour, instead of importing it as now, we need not enlarge, as we have so recently treated upon this subject in these columns. Few, however, are ignorant of the great advantages of manufactures to any country possessing such an abundant supply of the raw material as British Columbia is now known to do. And it appears to us that a few thousand pounds would be most judiciously spent in encouraging the development of our latent resources. The above recommendations of the Legislative Council are, then, as opportune as they are gratifying; and it only remains for us to express a hope that these suggestions will be carried out by the Executive.

### New Advertisements.

**BONSON & RICHARDS,**  
CARPENTERS, JOINERS

**CABINET MAKERS**

HAMEY STREET, NEAR THE CUSTOM HOUSE,  
New Westminster.

THE UNDERSIGNED respectfully beg to announce that they are now prepared to execute orders in any branch of the above trades, on the most reasonable terms.

ESTIMATES, PLANS & SPECIFICATIONS made for every description of buildings.  
Orders left at the Workshop will receive prompt attention.  
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BONSON & RICHARDS.

**THOMAS PRICE,**  
**TAILOR & CLOTHIER!**  
COLUMBIA STREET,  
New Westminster.

PRICE begs to announce to the inhabitants of N. W. Westminster and its vicinity that he has commenced business in the above line and respectfully solicits a share of their patronage. He would call attention to his carefully selected stock of CLOTHS, TWEEDS, and other materials, which cannot be surpassed in quality by any in the Colony.  
Gentlemen's Clothing of every description made to measure.  
REPAIRS NEATLY EXECUTED.

The most reasonable prices are charged and the wear of every article guaranteed.  
New Westminster, 2nd Nov. 1863. no4-1c

**CITY BAKERY**  
—AND—  
**COFFEE SALOON.**

THE UNDERSIGNED begs to inform his friends, and the public generally, that he has removed to his new and commodious establishment on the Corner of Columbia and Hall Streets, where he hopes to receive from a generous and discriminating public an extended patronage, commensurate with his increased facilities for accommodating them.

Coffee, Tea, Chocolate, Fies and Cakes,  
supplied at all hours, and at reduced rates.

Orders for WEDDINGS and PARTIES promptly attended to.  
JOSEPH SOREL.  
New Westminster, March 3, 1863. ma4

### New Advertisements.

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British Columbia & Victoria Express,  
CONNECTING AT VICTORIA WITH

**Wells Fargo & Co.,**  
FOR

**CALIFORNIA, OREGON, ATLANTIC STATES & EUROPE;**  
AND AT YALE AND LILLOOET WITH

**BARNARD'S CARIBOO EXPRESS,**  
FOR

**Cariboo and the Northern Mines,**  
CONVEYING Treasure, Valuables, Letters, Packages and Parcels;

PURCHASING of Drafts and Bills of Exchange from Wells Fargo & Co., and other Banking Houses;

COLLECTING Drafts, Notes of Hand, Debts, &c. EXECUTING Commissions, Orders, Enquiries; FORWARDING of Merchandise, Packages, Parcels, &c; ATTENDING to the Registration of Mortgages, Deeds, and other Documents, the Assaying of Gold Dust, Silver and other Ores;

PARTICULAR attention given to the purchasing of Goods at New Westminster, B. C., and Victoria, V. I., on the most favorable terms, and shipping to destination;

LANDING WARRANTS Prepared and Goods passed through the Custom House without delay.

New Westminster, March 13th, 1863. ma4-1c

**ERNEST PIGHT,**  
NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.,

IMPORTER AND DEALER IN

**Spirits, Wines, Ales and Segars.**

BRANDIES—French, H. & F. Martell, Pilevoisin and American in bulk and cases;

RUM—Jamaica and other brands;

WHISKY—Scotch, Irish, Bourbon and Monongahela in bulk and cases;

GIN—Holland in bulk and cases;

OLD TOM—Different brands;

WINE—Port, Sherry, California wines, various brands; CHAMPAGNE, PORTER & ALES—Different brands; SYRUPS & BITTERS—All kinds;

HAVANNA SEGARS—Different brands.

**ERNEST PIGHT,**  
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**Brewer and Maltster,**

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**DOUBLE REFINED SPIRITS,**  
40° over proof, superior to any;

—ALSO—  
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in Tins, 95 per cent.  
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**WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN**

**GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,**

**HARDWARE, CROCKERY,**

**GLASSWARE, AND**

**Oilman's Stores.**

Would call the particular attention of Up-river Merchants, Steamboat Owners and others to his Stock, and ascertain the prices before purchasing elsewhere.  
N. B.—Fresh Garden Seeds Just received and for sale.  
W. J. ARMSTRONG.  
New Westminster, March 27th, 1863. ma28-1c

**QUARTZ LODGE.**

A GENTLEMAN representing capital is desirous of information from any parties who can treat for the sale of an auriferous QUARTZ LODGE, accessible to heavy machinery, in the Colony of British Columbia. It must have been proved to be extensive, with a good legal claim. Address—"B. N. A." care of W. E. Cormack, New Westminster. del6-1m

### New Advertisements.

**WOODCOCK & HAND,**  
[Late W. BLACKER]

**BLACKSMITHS, &c.,**  
New Westminster, B. C.

WOODCOCK & HAND respectfully beg to inform the inhabitants of New Westminster that they have taken over the above business, and are now prepared to execute with dispatch all orders with which they may be favored.

New Westminster, October 29, 1863. oc31-1c

### THE PROPRIETORS

OF THE

**COLUMBIA HOTEL!**  
Columbia Street, New Westminster,

BEG TO INFORM THEIR FRIENDS AND THE TRAVELLING PUBLIC that there will be every attention received at the above Hotel.

**MEALS AT ALL HOURS.**  
The substantial and delicacies of the season will always be found on the Table, and every possible comfort afforded to the Traveller.

P. S.—The Bar will be supplied with the best of Liquors.

DEAS, DAWSON & CO.,  
Proprietors.

**THE ORIGINAL**  
**PIONEER**

**GOVERNMENT BAKERY**  
Lytton Square, New Westminster.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having taken over the above business from Mr. P. Hick, hopes, by strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of public patronage.

Orders for WEDDINGS and PARTIES promptly attended to.

New Westminster, Dec. 4, 1863. de5-1c

**LILLOOET ROUTE.**

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING REFITTED THE

**PEMBERTON HOUSE.**

FOR THE

**Accommodation of Travellers,**

WITH

**BEDS AND LIQUORS,**

AND having engaged the best Cooks on the Pacific Coast, are prepared to furnish the travelling public with all the comforts and luxuries of a FIRST-CLASS HOTEL, at greatly reduced rates.

N. B.—Travellers will find it to their advantage to patronize this House, as none but the best of everything will be furnished.

Pemberton, Sept. 12th, 1862. P. SMITH & CO. sel3

**Mrs. KIRKWOOD,**

**DRESS MAKER,**

OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE,

Spalding Street, New Westminster, B. C.

The latest Ladies' Fashions from Paris on hand, an inspection of which is respectfully invited

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**THE**  
**COLONIAL HOTEL**  
—AND—

**RESTAURANT.**

FRONT STREET,  
FORT YALE, B. C.

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THE ABOVE ESTABLISHMENT, having been newly fitted up at a great expense, is ready for the reception of the public.

The BAR will contain the choicest LIQUORS, while the TABLE will be constantly supplied with the substantial as well as the delicacies of the season.

N. B.—Good, clean Sleeping Apartments connected with the Hotel.

L. DAVISON,  
Manager.  
Fort Yale, B. C., March 27th, 1863. ma28-1c

**BONDED WAREHOUSE.**  
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**HENRY HOLBROOK,**  
COMMISSION MERCHANT,  
LIVERPOOL WHARF,  
NEW WESTMINSTER.

BONDED AND FREE STORAGE for 600 tons Goods Every accommodation given to Goods landed on the Liverpool Wharf, for shipment up river.

A large assortment of Goods for sale at Victoria prices, with the duty added.

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**Ralph Brocklebank, Esq., & E. Johnston, Esq.**

**MANAGER AND ACTUARY,**  
**PERCY M. DOVE, ESQ.**

THE DIRECTORS HAVE APPOINTED the UNDERSIGNED their Agents for

Vancouver Island & British Columbia,

and will now accept proposals for Insurance both in the

**Fire and Life Departments.**

They feel confident that the known Standing and Character of this Office, the sound principles on which it is established and the magnitude of its resources, will obtain for it a fair share of public patronage.

**James Dickson, Esq., M. D.,** has been appointed Medical Examiner to the Life Branch.

ANDERSON & CO.,  
Wharf Street,  
Victoria, 20th January, 1863. ja24

**BALMORAL SEED STORE**  
—AND—

**Nursery Depot,**  
FORT STREET.

MY STOCK OF SEEDS, TREES, PLANTS, &c., being now very complete, Farmers and Merchants are invited to call and examine for themselves. Country and British Columbia Merchants supplied at the lowest wholesale rates.

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THE SUBSCRIBER, having been appointed Agent for some of the Largest Importers and Best Manufacturers of AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS & MACHINES in San Francisco, is prepared to supply all sorts of Agricultural Implements and Machines at a small advance on San Francisco prices. Parties wanting Patent Hay Presses, Mowing and Reaping Machines, Fanning Mills, Ploughs, Harrows, Scythes or any other Implement or Machine will do well to send their orders. Parties ordering will require to remit with the order about one-fifth of the value of the machine to pay Freight.

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**VICTORIA, VANCOUVER ISLAND.**

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LONDON.  
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IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

**GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,**

—ALSO—  
Importers and Agents for the best brands of French Wines and Liquors, and receive direct shipments of Havana Cigars by every steamer. Jy12

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**Pioneer Billiard Saloon!**</



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Transient Advertisements, 2 inches and under, 25 first insertion, and one dollar each subsequent insertion. Over two inches, \$1 per inch for first insertion, and half a dollar for each subsequent insertion. Special contracts with regular advertisers. Advertisements in order to ensure insertion, should be sent in before noon of the day before publication. All advertisements for insertion in the BRITISH COLUMBIAN must be paid in advance. Those for longer periods than one month are required to be paid each month in advance. All advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued until ordered out, and so charged.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

NOTICE—Harvey & Wilson.  
ELECTION NOTICE—C. Brew.

## The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, WEDNESDAY, MAR. 2, 1864.  
THE TELEGRAPH SCHEME.

It will be seen from the reported proceedings of the Legislative Council, as well as from a copy of a Petition which we publish elsewhere, that a proposal is now submitted to our Government by the California State Telegraph Company for extending a line of telegraph to this city. Next in importance to having telegraphic communication across the continent through British territory is connection with the American telegraphic system, placing us in direct communication, as it would, with the Atlantic States and the British Provinces washed by the Atlantic Ocean. And as the former great scheme would now seem to be indefinitely delayed it would appear to be our wisdom to avail ourselves, meantime, of the liberal offer made by our enterprising American cousins. We use the term liberal advisedly, and we opine no one can complain of the terms upon which the scheme is proposed to be carried out. The President of the Company, Horace W. Carpenter, Esq., is at present in this city awaiting the action of Government, and should his proposal be accepted, of which we cannot entertain a doubt, it is not unreasonable to expect that within the present year we shall be able to hold electric converse with our friends on the other side of the continent.

Since the above was in type we have been surprised and grieved to learn that certain Government members of the Legislative Council evinced a disposition yesterday to throw obstacles in the way of this scheme. We are at a loss to conceive upon what possible ground any man having the welfare of the country at heart could even treat with indifference a proposal to give us a telegraph in the shortest possible time and without costing the Colony a single dollar. We trust it was merely a momentary misunderstanding which gave rise to the discussion in the House yesterday, and that everything will be done to meet, in a fitting way, so liberal a proposal.

## New Advertisements.

## NOTICE!

ALL PERSONS having any claim on the estate of WILLIAM GILBERT are requested to send in their accounts to Mr. Geo. Hooper, whose receipt will be valid for all debts due to the same.  
R. HARVEY, Attorneys for T. WILSON, the Creditors.  
New Westminster, March 1, 1864. mb2-1c

## ELECTION NOTICE!

## New Westminster Municipal Council.

IN CONSEQUENCE of the resignation of H. Holbrook, Esq., as Municipal Councillor for No. 2 Ward, I hereby give notice that, in accordance with the New Westminster Municipal Council Act, 1860, an Election will be held at the County Court House, New Westminster, for the purpose of Electing a qualified person to represent the said No. 2 Ward in the Municipal Council for the remainder of the year ending the 15th August 1864. Nomination will take place at noon on Friday the 25th March, inst., and polling will commence at 11 o'clock on the following day.

C. BREW, C. I. P. mb2-1d

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Lillooet.—The Rev. H. C. Brown.

Hope.—The Rev. A. C. Pringle.

Yale.—The Rev. H. Reeve, and E. H. Sanders, Esq., Resident Magistrate.

New Westminster, Feb. 26, 1864. fe27-1y

## New Advertisements.

## NOTICE.

CAME TO THE PREMISES of the subscriber in the month of December last, One Cream-colored Mare, which, if not claimed and charges paid by the owner within 30 days, will be sold by the cost of keeping and the expense of this advertisement.  
HENRY BASTON.  
Harrison River, February 24th, 1864. fe24-1m

## To Capitalists.

ANY ONE having a few hundred dollars to invest in Real Estate will please call on Mr. Clarkson, Land Agent, New Westminster, where they will find a great bargain.  
New Westminster, Feb. 19, 1864. fe20-1c

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CLUTE & MAJOR, fe10-1c  
New Westminster, Feb. 9, 1864.

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And a variety of other Fancy and Staple Stationery,

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New Westminster, 2nd Nov. 1863. no4-1c

## New Advertisements.

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HAS ON HAND SEVERAL

## VALUABLE TOWN LOTS

## FOR SALE.

ALSO; SEVERAL MINING INTERESTS

ON WILLIAMS AND LOWE CREEKS.

Mr. CLARKSON will give strict attention to Collecting Rents, Accounts, Loaning Money, Overseeing Contracts, Viewing Suburban and Rural Lands for intending purchasers, and selling by Auction any Goods or Property that may be entrusted to his care.

Land Scrip bought and sold, and any general business attended to.

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## EX "NAPOLEON III,"

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF

LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S GOODS!

And you will find one of the Largest Stocks ever imported into British Columbia.

OF LADIES' DRESS GOODS YOU WILL FIND

A VERY LARGE ASSORTMENT.

Gents who are in need of a Good Suit will find any quantity of all kinds of CLOTHING.

LADIES' AND GENTS' HATS,

A LARGE ASSORTMENT.

LADIES', GENTS' & CHILDREN'S,

A GOOD ASSORTMENT OF

Boots and Shoes.

J. A. WEBSTER, fe13-1c  
New Stone Building.

## SEED WAREHOUSE,

No. 5, Fort Street.

JAY & CO.

INVITE INSPECTION OF THE UNRIVALLED STOCK OF

ISLAND GROWN AND IMPORTED

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GARDEN AND FLOWER

SEEDS!

which they are now offering for sale at the above address.

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## FRUIT TREES

—AND—

## ORNAMENTAL SHRUBBERY!

THE SUBSCRIBER has made arrangements for keeping on hand a full and varied assortment of all kinds of Fruit Trees, Ornamental Trees of every description, Currant Bushes of all kinds, Rose Bushes, Grape Vines, Honey Suckle and other running Vines, Garden Seeds of every variety, Rhubarb and Flower Roots, and, in fact, everything in the horticultural line. The season's stock will be open for inspection on or about the 20th inst.

The subscriber, being a professional Gardner, will keep nothing which he does not recommend, and will at all times be happy to afford his customers any information or directions respecting the planting of seeds, treatment of plants, &c.

Remember the stand is nearly opposite Mr. Holbrook's store.

ROBERT HALL, fe10-1c  
New Westminster, Feb. 9, 1864.

## MACLURE &amp; TURNBULL,

(LATE OF THE ROYAL ENGINEERS.)

Surveyors, Civil Engineers,

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New Westminster, B. C., }  
November 2d, 1863. no4-1c

## NOTICE.

ALL CREDITORS of WILLIAM HENRY WOODCOCK who have not yet sent in their claims to Mr. Jules David, of Victoria, or Mr. Otis Parsons, of Lillooet, are hereby notified that unless such claims are put in before the 5th of March, proximo, they will be peremptorily excluded from all participation in the assets of Mr. Woodcock.

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## The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, WEDNESDAY, MAR. 2, 1864.

## Later from Cariboo.

The news from Williams Creek is to the 18th ult., but is meager and uninteresting. The weather was very agreeable, and most of the snow on the creek had disappeared. Very little actual mining was going on. In McArthur's Gulch—hill diggings—dirt paying \$15 50 to the bucket had been struck. The provision market was unchanged. One of Mr. Wright's sleighs had arrived at Lightning Creek with 1800 lbs. of goods. The sleighing was excellent, and it was expected that the teams would be running through to Richfield in a few days. The machinery for Hard Curry & Co.'s claim was on the way in above Alexandria.

## VICTORIA ITEMS.

Barrett, a night watchman, shot a Policeman named Curry by mistake on the night of the 29th ult. He expired almost immediately. As the *Princess Royal* was about leaving port a lad who went aloft, losing his balance, fell to the deck, causing instant death. The reception fund for Governor Kennedy has reached \$1,000. The news from the North-west coast of this Colony is good. Great confidence is felt in the copper mines on Queen Charlotte's Island, and miners on Stekin River are said to have done well.

**ANNEXATION.**—The people of Victoria are determined that if they cannot extend their dominions eastward they will northward. Mr. Franklin has introduced a motion in the Assembly for the annexation of Queen Charlotte's Island to that of Vancouver. Would it not be well to include the Sandwich Islands in the resolution, as they have spent some money there for live stock, &c.?

**LITERARY THEFT.**—A week ago we charged the *Colonist* with copying from our columns the report of the Legislative Council without giving the usual credit. It should have read *Chronicle* instead of *Colonist*, a typographical error we forgot to correct on Saturday. But what was then true of the one is now true of both, as we find in Monday's *Colonist* half a column taken from this journal without any credit whatever. We ask, what any journalist is entitled to, that anything copied from these columns be duly credited.

**ECCLÉSIASTICAL.**—The Rev. E. Evans, D. D., came up by the *Enterprise* last evening to attend the closing business meeting for the ecclesiastical year of the Wesleyan Church in this place.

**CUSTOMS RECEIPTS FOR FEBRUARY.**—The following are the weekly receipts at the Custom House during last month: For week ending 6th Feb, £897 7 11; for week ending 13th, £791 6 4; for week ending 20th, £1161 10 9; for week ending 27th, £1434 16 1. Total, £4085 0 9. Number of passengers entering at this port during same period, 533.

## Legislative Council.

(SECRET.)

Members present, the Hon. Attorney-General, Collector of Customs, C. Brew, E. H. Sanders, H. M. Ball, H. Nind, J. A. R. Homer and H. Holbrook.

The Hon. W. S. Black, member for Cariboo West, having been introduced by Hon. H. Holbrook, was sworn in and took his seat.

The minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

The petition of Horace W. Carpenter, Esq., President of the California State Telegraph Co., was introduced by Hon. H. Holbrook and laid on the table.

A petition from Mr. Geo. Hooper, asking for an extra tax on auctioneers, was read and laid on the table.

Hon. J. A. R. Homer asked permission to defer the *Mut* question till the 10th prox.—Leave granted.

Trade License Act read a second time and considered in Committee of the Whole. This Act imposes an additional £1 per quarter on auctioneers—members of a firm to be considered as one, and government officers making sales by auction of government property to be exempt. It provides for a penalty of £20 for evasion. The Committee rose and reported progress, and the Bill was read a third time and passed. The British Columbia Loan Act, 1864, was read a first time and ordered to be printed.

## NOTICES OF MOTION.

Hon. E. H. Sanders gave notice that he will introduce a Bill to be called a Petty Sessions Act. Hon. H. Nind gave notice that he will bring in a Bill to increase the penalty to be imposed upon parties convicted of selling liquor to Indians.

Hon. J. A. R. Homer gave notice that he would on Tuesday bring in a resolution to ask His Excellency to make an appropriation for Colonial buildings.

Hon. H. Holbrook gave notice that he would on Tuesday ask permission to bring in a Bill to enable the "California States Telegraph Company" to establish a line of telegraph to New Westminster; also, that he would on the same day ask permission to bring in a Bill to be called "The Telegraph Registration Act," also, that he would on the same day ask the Hon. Acting Commissioner of Lands & Works whether and when he will be prepared to carry out the reply the Governor gave this House about the immediate repair of the road in the neighborhood of Pemberton, which is now stopped, and several hundred tons of goods have now accumulated at that place, unable to be forwarded to the mines, causing great loss to the shippers, who, to the number of 72, have also petitioned His Excellency upon the same subject.

## TUESDAY'S SITTING.

Members present, Hon. Attorney-General, Collector of Customs, H. M. Ball, H. Nind, J. A. R. Homer, H. Holbrook and W. S. Black. Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed. Hon. H. Nind obtained permission to delay the introduction of his Bill respecting the sale of liquor to Indians.

Hon. J. A. R. Homer proposed, seconded by Hon. W. S. Black, that His Excellency the Governor be recommended to appropriate the sum of £20,000 for the erection of public buildings at New Westminster. Moved in amendment by Hon. H. M. Ball, seconded by Hon. H. Nind, that the sum be £10,000 instead of £20,000. The amendment was carried.

The California State Telegraph Bill was introduced by Hon. H. Holbrook, and read a first time; it was then moved that it be read a second time, which gave rise to a warm discussion, when it was moved in amendment by Hon. Collector of Customs, seconded by Hon. H. M. Ball, that the Bill be read a second time on Thursday next. The amendment was carried on the following division: Ayes, Hons. Hamley, Nind, Crease and Ball; Noes, Hons. Homer, Holbrook and Black. Hon. H. Holbrook obtained leave to bring in the Telegraph Regulation Bill, which was read a first time.

The Loan act was laid on the table in order to be read a second time on Wednesday.

## NOTICES OF MOTION.

Hon. W. S. Black gave notice that he will ask the Hon. Attorney-General if any provision has been made with regard to furnishing the Gold Commissioner on Williams Creek with an additional clerk to act as Registrar. Also, that he would ask the Hon. Attorney-General on what conditions Crown lands are sold in the Cariboo district.

## Municipal Council.

Town Hall, February 29th, 1864.

Members Present, the President, Councillors Manson, Clarkson, Armstrong, Webster, Robinson, Murray, Calder, Wylie, Hooper and Ross.

The Minutes of previous meeting read and approved. A communication from the City Surveyor, asking for leave of absence for a few days, was read. Leave granted. A communication from Mr. Kennedy respecting the Clerkship of the Council was read to which the Clerk was instructed to reply. Several accounts were submitted.

A warm and protracted discussion took place upon a resolution moved by Coun. Armstrong to have the side-walk on the lower side of Columbia street raised to the established grade of said street. This was objected to upon the ground that it would seriously obstruct business, as it would in many instances strike half way up the front of business houses. After much discussion the following amendment, moved by Coun. Manson, and seconded by Coun. Ross, was carried: *Resolved*, That the side-walk on the lower side of Columbia street be built on a grade to suit the present grade of the street.

Some dissatisfaction having been expressed by the Board of Works respecting the levee built by Mr. Scott, east of the Pioneer Wharf, the following resolution was moved by Coun. Manson, seconded by Coun. Webster, and carried: *Resolved*, That the ten chains of street constructed by Mr. J. T. Scott, opposite block 7, be accepted by this Council on condition that he enter into bonds to keep the same in good repair for five years, reasonable tear and wear excepted.

Moved by Coun. Armstrong, seconded by Coun. Murray, and *Resolved*, That the President be requested to correspond with His Excellency Sir James Douglas, K. C. B., stating the necessity of repairing the bridges on Columbia street, the deficiency of the grant of scrip to complete the clearing of the suburban plot, and the necessity of grading the lower end of Columbia street; also the clearing of the public cemetery, and lay a statement of our financial affairs before His Excellency and ask for a grant of fifteen hundred pounds.

Councillor Clarkson tendered his resignation as a member of the Board of Works, which was accepted, and the Council adjourned.

## LETTER FROM DOUGLAS.

MR. EDITOR.—Having just returned from a trip over the Douglas and Pemberton Portages I beg to inform travellers that intend going to Cariboo that they will find the Douglas Portages all that is desired. I was pleased to learn on my way to Douglas that Mr. Joseph L. Smith, the well known and popular host of the 29-Mile House on the Douglas Portage, was to start a line of stages immediately, and from the well known character of Mr. Smith travellers may rely on punctuality and dispatch. It is rumored here that so soon as the steamer *Lilloet* is repaired passengers will get through tickets from New Westminster to Lilloet for \$5, so look out boys and travel on the Douglas Route. Local news hereabout is very scarce, owing no doubt to the prolonged fine weather we have had, which has allowed traders and merchants to set to work and make ample preparations for the spring trade. A new branch of business seems to be springing up here. Messrs. Smith and D. Robertson have put up over 1200 tons of ice, which no doubt will find its way to your city to soothe the feelings of those who delight in brandy smashes and sherry cobblers.

In my last letter I omitted to inform you of an important fact up here, viz., that there are quite a number of Chinamen on the Douglas Portage mining on the banks of the Lilloet River, and are making quite a good thing of it. At the Ten Mile House I am told by Mr. Perret they average \$3 50 per day to the hand, and at all the other mining camps along the river they seem to be doing equally well. It is rather astonishing that the unlucky Cariboo miners do not pitch into these river diggings in the lower country; diggings averaging \$3 50 or even \$3 to the hand in California are considered good, and miners there are well satisfied with such luck. Then, why not be satisfied here? Provisions in the lower towns of British Columbia can be bought at about the same rates as in the mountain towns of California.

We regret much to learn through your columns that the Government decline having anything to do with the Harrison River Rapids. If the powers that be will allow a fair amount there will be no lack of some enterprising party taking the job in hand. This season they have

not caused much delay to the steamboats, we having two and sometimes three arrivals every week. We are informed that our much respected Magistrate, Mr. Gaggin, has got orders to have any breakages in the Pemberton Portage put in immediate repair, so that our enterprising merchants may be put to no delay in rolling their mammoth wagons with the staff of life to the hardy miner.

The splendid new steamers on the Lakes are in fine running order, making trips across every alternate day. On the 1st of March they will commence to make daily trips, which will enable passengers to reach Lilloet from Douglas in two days.

Port Douglas, 24th February, 1864.

## HOPE SILVER QUARTZ LEDGE.

To the Editor of the British Columbian.

SIR,—You will oblige me if you will state in your first issue that the quartz ledge containing or supposed to contain silver, belonging to the Hope Silver Mining Company, has been struck. Nothing is yet known of the prospects, and may not be for a little time. My object in giving it publicity is a wish to inform the shareholders in the most public manner of the above fact, and to prevent their being misled by ignorant or designing persons.

I am, Sir,

Yours truly,

A SHAREHOLDER.

Hope, February 26th, 1864.

## ANOTHER FATAL ACCIDENT.

To the Editor of the British Columbian.

DEAR SIR:—I regret having to mention that another fatal accident occurred here on Wednesday night last by drowning, in the person of our fellow townsman Mr. J. G. Watson. He was a man of industrious habits, and had acquired considerable means thereby. He was a native of Maine, United States, and leaves there a wife and five children to mourn his untimely end. His funeral took place here yesterday, and was attended by all the inhabitants. For the particulars attendant on his death I refer you to the following report of the Coroner's Inquest sent herewith:

## THE INQUEST.

At an enquiry holden this 25th day of February, 1864, at Douglas, in the District of Douglas to inquire into the cause of death of John G. Watson, deceased, before the following Jury: Foreman, R. Jesse, C. Moorhouse, W. Branigan, P. Smith, J. L. Daly, A. Smith, R. Lipsitt, D. Robertson, T. Humphrey, T. Poole, J. G. Hughes.

The Jury, having viewed the body, proceeded to take evidence on the case. Fred. T. Sylvester, Esq., M. D., being examined, stated:

"I examined the body of the deceased. I discovered no injury, bruises or fractures, which would lead one to imagine he had met with violence, and from his being found in the water, and the appearance of the body generally, I consider that his death must, in my opinion, be attributable to drowning."

Robert Lipsitt, being examined, stated: "Last night the deceased was in my house, between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock. He was under the influence of liquor at the time he left the house, and as I supposed went home. I saw him no more alive. I have seen deceased more intoxicated than he was last night. When he left my house he was able to walk."

G. S. Nunn, Chief Constable, Port Douglas, being examined, stated:

"Last night about 10:30, p. m., I was lying on the couch in my sitting room, when I heard a splash in the water, and then a call, as of some one singing out. I took no notice of it at the time, imagining that it was only Indians paddling their canoes. My dog was barking furiously at the time. Hearing another call, I got up and went out to see if I could discover anything. On my arrival I heard no noise and returned to the house, taking my dog with me. I had no sooner got within doors when I heard another noise, as of splashing in the water, and I at once said, 'There must be some one in the water,' but as there was a thick fog at the time I could perceive nothing; just then I heard another noise as of a man calling out, and a gurgling sound, such as would be uttered by a drowning man, and I immediately put on my boots and went into town to give the alarm. My dwelling being at one end of the wharf enabled me to hear this plainly. On my going upon the wharf I perceived no person near."

Quæ: by a Juror. Do you suppose when you first heard the noise you could have saved the deceased, had you been aware that a man was in the water?

Ans. I think so.

Thomas B. Humphrey, being examined, stated: "I went down to the wharf this morning, and together with D. Robertson and others, commenced dragging for the body, without effect. We then offered a reward of five dollars to Indians to search for the body, which they at once did, and found it very quickly. The spot where the body was found was about twenty feet from the wharf."

The above being all the evidence that could be produced the Jury retired to consider their verdict.

## VERDICT.

The Jurors empanelled to inquire into the case to ascertain how John G. Watson met his death, and having heard the evidence adduced, are unanimously of opinion that it was caused by accidental drowning.

(Signed,) ROBERT JESSE, Foreman,

for self and others.

Port Douglas, 27th February, 1864.

A marriage will shortly take place between Sir Henry Havelock, son of the late Major-General Sir Henry Havelock, of Lucknow, and Lady Alice Merton, daughter of the Countess Dowager Ducie.

According to the statistics of the fur trade in the North-west, the trappers killed last season, 5,500 bison and buffaloes, upwards of 5,000 wolves, 850 bears, 1,131 foxes, 23,000 minks, 5,258 otters, 1,800 martins, and 250,000 muskrat.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, AND THE HON. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OF THE COLONY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The humble petition of HORACE W. CARPENTIER, whose name is hereto subscribed, respectfully sheweth,

That the California State Telegraph Company, a Company duly incorporated under the laws of State of California, one of the United States of America, has constructed and put in operation lines of Telegraph throughout said State, and the adjoining States and Territories, connecting by a line of telegraph across the Continent with the telegraphic systems of the Atlantic States, and of the British Provinces of North America; that the California State Telegraph Company is the only Telegraph Company organized on the western part of the Continent; that it owns all the telegraph lines, and claims all the telegraph rights, franchises, patents, and privileges in the United States west of the Rocky Mountains; that said Company has on hand, and in transitu from England, wire, cables, and materials for several thousand miles of telegraph, with the consent of the respective Governments of the countries through which such lines may pass, to extend its lines northward to Vancouver Island and British Columbia, and southward to the City of Mexico; that the undersigned, President of the said Company, has been duly authorized to take such measures and enter into such contracts, on behalf of the said Company, as he may deem expedient, for the extension of its telegraph lines from California northward; that in view of the intimate business and commercial relations between the two places, it would seem expedient that New Westminster shall be speedily connected by telegraph with San Francisco, by means of the proposed extensions; but that, considering the sparseness of the population, and the character of the country through which the lines must pass, the cost of constructing the same, and specially the difficulty and expensiveness of keeping such a line in working order, it appears to the undersigned evident that said line cannot be remunerative for many years to come.

Wherefore the undersigned humbly prays the passage of an Act, granting him permission to construct and put in operation lines of telegraph over the public lands and along the public highways of the said Colony, but not over private lands unless by the consent of the owners thereof, with the right to lay down submarine cables through the waters of the said Colony, with a protective clause against competition between said Colony and the Pacific States of the United States for a term of years, with due provision for the protection of the public interests, &c.; as more fully shewn in the draft of bill for that purpose, with which the undersigned begs leave to accompany this petition.

The undersigned does not propose to ask any subsidy from the Colonial Government, or other pecuniary assistance, and should the privilege and protective guarantee be extended, the undersigned gives his pledge that the work shall be immediately commenced, and vigorously pushed to completion.

And as in duty bound your memorialist will ever pray.

HORACE W. CARPENTIER.

Pres. Cal. State Telegraph Co.

INDIAN OPINIONS OF OUR CUSTOMS.—The following description of a European entertainment at Delhi will convey some idea of the estimation in which such promiscuous meetings are held:—"The gentlemen of exalted dignity had a great feast last night, to which all the military chiefs and lieutenants were invited. There was a little fog on the table before Mr. —, who cut it in pieces, and sent some to each of the party, even the women ate of it. In their language a pig is called *ham*. Having stuffed themselves with the unclean food and many sorts of flesh, taking plenty of wine, they made for some time a great noise which doubtless arose from drunkenness. They all stood up, two or four times, crying, hip! hip! and roared before they drank more wine. After dinner, they danced in their licentious manner, pulling about each other's wives."—*Asiatic Journal*.

SLANDER AND FLATTERY ALIKE.—He that slanders me (says Cowper) paints me blacker than I am; and he that flatters me, whiter; they both daub me; and when I look into the glass of conscience I see myself disguised by both. I had as lief my tailor should sew ginger-nuts on my coat instead of buttons, as that any man should call my Bristol stone a diamond. The tailor's trick would not embellish my suit, nor the flatterer's make me at all richer.

The Princess of Wales recently drove through the town of Windsor in a pony phaeton, with her beautiful pair of greys, without being recognised, having no attendants. The *Court Journal* says her Royal Highness is a splendid whip, and drove by the cabs which were leaving the railway station at the time in capital style.

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JOHN McMURPHY.

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New Westminster, Dec. 4, 1863. de5-1g



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The British Columbian.  
NEW WESTMINSTER, WEDNESDAY, MAR. 2, 1864.  
A Wayward and Unfortunate Heiress.

The Western Morning News vouches for the truth of the following story:—The young, good-looking and accomplished daughter of a Devonshire rector fell violently in love some time ago with a stonemason, who was employed in repairing her father's church. The lady, who is mercifully protected under the disguised name of 'Miss Nemo,' was sent away from home when her curious choice of a lover became known, but after some time she eloped with the stonemason, and remained with her friends until the marriage preliminaries could be arranged. On the morning fixed for the wedding, the bridegroom not being forthcoming at the appointed time, the lady went in search of him, when, to her astonishment, he informed her that he was in no particular hurry, and should not marry yet. On finding herself thus deceived the girl ran away, and waded into a sheet of water waist high in her wedding-dress, from which predicament, however, she was extricated by two laboring men, taken back to where she had been staying, and eventually home. A few days afterwards the stonemason lover called at her residence, but was refused an interview by her brother. He then went to another of Nemo's relatives, a lady of wealth and position, with whom he endeavored to turn his heartiness to pecuniary profit, offering to marry somebody else if a hundred pounds were given him, adding the interesting information that three other ladies were already in love with him. This extortionate demand was refused, but he was offered a handsome present if he became the husband of either of the three candidates he had mentioned. This, it seems, did not suit 'his book,' and fortunately his capriciousness effected that which nothing else could do—determined Nemo to throw him off altogether, the result being that he is now a presiding and unmarried genius in a common public-house. A short time after this occurrence the father of Nemo died, leaving her a very respectable income; but, in order to prevent her from forming a connection with anybody beneath her, the receipt of this income was made to be contingent on her remaining single, to revert to her only if she became a widow. Her brother having succeeded her father in his ecclesiastical office, Nemo resided alone at lodgings in Exeter, up to the middle of last summer. But now comes the most curious part of the story. Sitting at her room window one day, she saw a man bergering in the street. She had him called in. He told her he was an Irishman of high connections, but, after many vicissitudes, had sunk to the condition in which she saw him. She took a deep interest in his case, and had him decently clothed. This done, she visited him at a notoriously common lodging-house in a back-lane; but, being disgusted with that habitation, she obtained lodgings at an eating-house, where, when he was duly installed, she visited him, exchange visits being made by the gentleman at the lady's lodgings. Not content with these marks of favor, she purchased for him a handsome ring, receiving one made from his hair in return, the latter, as well as the former, being of course paid for by Nemo. Thus matters continued up to a short time ago, when, on being remonstrated with on the impropriety of such a connection, she went off with the man to Devonport, and was married at a Dissenting place of worship, the office of bridesmaid having been performed by an old woman, a sextoness at one of the Exeter churches, whom Nemo had taken with her. Money by this time was getting short, and the pair returned to Exeter, the lady visiting her friends and informing them of the high respectability of her husband's connections, and eventually so softening their anger that they agreed to give her money and fit her out for Ireland, to which country she stated her husband intended to take her. He was consequently admitted to several interviews with the family, and no end of dresses were provided for Nemo befitting her entrance into 'polite Irish society.' Sufficient money was given her to enable them to pay a visit to her relatives in London, while their boxes, in which was her portion of the family plate, &c., were forwarded to Liverpool to await the pair when they reached that port en route for Ireland. They were received kindly by their London friends, whom they visited often during a week, when the newly-made husband took it into his head one evening to go down into the kitchen of a friend's house 'to smoke a pipe,' and not returning in what his wife considered reasonable time, she went in search of him, but searched in vain. With some misgiving Nemo proceeded to their lodgings, when she found her boxes broken, and that every article of value they contained had disappeared. Without delay she sought aid and searched the metropolis for days—her efforts being eventually crowned by finding her husband in a low pot-house, every penny he had taken from her having been squandered. Nemo induced her degraded spouse to go with her to the railway station, when on making the names of her relatives known, she obtained a pass for both to Exeter, but on their arrival there they were entirely discarded by all their former friends. Having by some means obtained a little money, the couple proceeded to Plymouth, and only a few days ago were located in anything but a first-class house in one of the Three Towns. An offer was sent the lady by her friends to receive her again if she would leave the man who had treated her so badly; but this Nemo peremptorily refused. It will occasion no surprise to the reader to learn that it has been found, by a letter from Ireland, couched in a peculiar diction, that the man's high connections there are a myth.

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And having secured the services of a first class tinsmith  
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of all Descriptions.**  
Jobbing attended to with neatness & dispatch.  
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**Spear & Jackson's Hand, Pannel,  
Ripping and Crosscut Saws;  
Taper, and Mill Saw Files;  
Curtis & Harvy's Blasting and Sporting  
Powder.**  
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**CAREFULLY SELECTED STOCK**  
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the benefit of the Government Assay Office, and at the  
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Gold Dust received on Consignment, and proceeds  
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JAS. D. WALKER,  
Manager. jy22-1c

**NOTICE!**  
WHEREAS Letters of Administration upon the  
estate of John Walker, deceased and intestate,  
have been granted to the subscriber under the seal of  
the Supreme Court, and dated the 12th December, 1863,  
all persons having claims against, or indebted to,  
the estate of the said deceased are hereby required to for-  
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New Advertisements.

## THE SUFFERER'S BEST FRIEND.

### HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.

**All Disorders affecting the Liver,  
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These Pills can be confidently recommended as the  
most simple and certain remedy for indigestion, flatu-  
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many maladies resulting from disordered stomach or  
bowels. In all diseases it is of primary importance to  
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natives, and strengtheners of the stomach. They may  
be taken under any circumstances. Though powerfully  
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operation, and beneficial to the whole system.

**Weakness and Debility, Nervous  
Irritability.**

The wholesale effect exercised by these admirable  
Pills over the blood and fluids generally is like a charm  
in dispelling low spirits, and restoring cheerfulness.  
Their general aperient qualities well fit them for a do-  
mestic medicine, particularly for females of all ages and  
periods of life. They never betray any disagreeable  
irritating qualities; they quickly eject all impurities  
from the system, and regulate every function of the body,  
giving wonderful tone and energy to weak and debilitat-  
ed persons, while they brace and strengthen the ner-  
vous system in a most extraordinary manner.

**To Regain Health, Strength and  
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Whenever persons find themselves in that state term-  
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dered actions, and strengthen the frame in a most ex-  
traordinary manner.

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Affections.**

These Pills, assisted in their action by rubbing Hol-  
loway's Ointment very effectively twice a day upon the  
throat and chest, and keeping those parts covered with  
the preparation, will be found the most effectual reme-  
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soothe the irritated air-tubes, and assist in dislodging  
the phlegm which stops up the air-passages. This  
treatment has proved wonderfully efficient in not only  
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standing, and even when patients who were in so bad a  
state as not to lie down on their beds lest they be  
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Bowels, Flatulency, Diarrhoea  
and Dysentery.**

Any symptoms of the above complaints should be im-  
mediately met by appropriate doses of these Pills, ac-  
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lowed by disastrous consequences. These Pills are a  
certain remedy for all the ailments of the alimentary  
tract, they secure the thorough digestion of the food,  
and act most kindly on the stomach, liver, bowels and  
kidneys. As a household medicine they are unrivalled,  
and should always be at hand.

**Very Important, of Costiveness  
Beware.**

Rarely but little notice is taken of costiveness, yet  
at certain periods, it is a sure sign that danger is near.  
All who are seized with apoplexy and paralysis, have  
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on the brain, and we know the rest. Let wives coun-  
sel their husbands, and husbands their wives, never to  
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with their patronage. A stock of the choicest  
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constantly on hand. Also, Bread, Biscuit, Cakes, Pies,  
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healing properties of this excellent Ointment. The  
worst cases readily assume a healthy appearance when  
ever this medicament is applied; sound flesh springs  
up from the bottom of the wound, inflammation of the  
surrounding skin is arrested, and a complete and per-  
manent cure quickly follows the use of the Ointment.

**Piles, Fistulas and Internal Inflam-  
mation.**

These distressing and weakening diseases may with  
certainty be cured by the sufferers themselves, if they  
will use Holloway's Ointment, and closely attend to the  
printed instructions. It should be well rubbed upon  
the neighboring parts, when all obnoxious matter will  
be removed. A poultice of bread and water may some-  
times be applied at bed time with advantage; and most  
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read this paragraph will bring it under the notice of  
such of their acquaintances whom it may concern, they  
will render a service that will never be forgotten, as a  
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**Rheumatism, Gout & Neuralgia.**

Nothing has the power of reducing inflammation and  
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as Holloway's cooling Ointment and purifying Pills.  
When used simultaneously they drive all inflammation  
and depravities from the system, subdue and remove  
all enlargement of the joints, and leave the sinews and  
muscles lax and uncontracted. A cure may always be  
effected, even under the worst circumstances, if the use  
of these medicines be persevered in.

**Eruptions, Scald Head, Ringworm &  
other Skin Diseases.**

After fomentation with warm water, utmost relief and  
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the Ointment and Pills. But it must be remembered  
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consequently, in many cases, time is required to purify  
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severance is necessary.

**Sore Throats, Diphtheria, Quinsy,  
Mumps & all other Derangements  
of the Throat.**

On the appearance of any of these maladies the Oint-  
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The worst cases will yield to this treatment by  
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This class of cases may be cured by Holloway's puri-  
fying Pills and Ointment, as their double action of puri-  
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plaints of a scrofulous nature. As the blood is impure  
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Bad Legs.	Chapped Hands.	Scalds.
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Bunions.	Fistulas.	Skin Diseases.
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Coccy-foot.	Lumbago.	Tumors.
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the rooms being well lighted, warmed and ventilated,  
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Have added to their comfortable

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A SPLENDID  
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In which will always be found the best

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—OF—  
In connection with the above they have opened a Store  
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**WINE, LIQUORS,**  
ALES, PORTER, RUM,  
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CORDIALS, which they will sell by the bottle, gallon, or in cases,

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**THE BEST BRANDS OF  
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ready to receive Boarders and Lodgers. The beds will  
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**MEALS AT ALL HOURS,**  
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**Private Dinners and Suppers Punctually At-  
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**NOTICE.**  
Dissolution of Co-partnership.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP hitherto existing between  
Musselwhite and Davis, of the "Franklin House,"  
is this day dissolved by mutual consent.  
All debts due to the late partnership are to be paid  
to, and all liabilities contracted by the said partnership  
are to be liquidated by, the said John Musselwhite.  
New Westminster, Feb. 16, 1864. fe17-1m

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